

Mission Incident
Santa Paula, CA
Preliminary Summary of Air Monitoring Results
November 25, 2014

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Introduction

Center for Toxicology and Environmental Health, LLC (CTEH®) continued air monitoring in support of response activities following a vac truck explosion and fire in Santa Paula, CA.

This submittal summarizes air monitoring data for November 25, 2014 07:00 to November 26, 2014 07:00.

Real-time Air Monitoring

All instrumentation was calibrated at least once per day or per manufacturer's recommendations. Manually-logged real-time air monitoring was conducted for chlorine (Cl₂), hydrogen sulfide (H₂S), percent of the Lower Explosive Limit (LEL), oxygen (O₂), peroxides, sulfur dioxide (SO₂), sulfuric acid (H₂SO₄), particulate matter (10-micron particles, PM₁₀), and volatile organic compounds (VOCs), with instruments such as Gastec® pumps with chemical-specific colorimetric tubes, RAESystems® MultiRAE Plus and MultiRAE Pro PID with chemical-specific sensors, and TSI® AM510s for particulate matter. Monitoring was conducted by CTEH® personnel in the work area, at fixed locations in the surrounding community, and along the perimeter of the facility in the community. Table 1 summarizes monitoring data for manually-logged real-time readings. Maps including the site location, fixed community real-time air monitoring locations, and roaming monitoring are included in Appendix A.

CTEH® monitored RAESystems® AreaRAE units with ProRAE Guardian system at four locations on the fence line of the facility within the work area. AreaRAEs were equipped with sensors to detect VOCs, LEL, H₂S, and SO₂. Table 2 summarizes monitoring data for AreaRAE monitoring. The LEL detections reported at AreaRAE Unit 02 were identified as confirmed sensor drift by CTEH® personnel using a secondary instrument. AreaRAE graphs displaying real-time air monitoring data as well as 15-minute rolling averages and a map depicting AreaRAE locations are included in Appendix B.

Additional particulate monitoring was conducted around the facility perimeter within the Work Area. TSI AM510 SidePak aerosol monitors equipped with 10-micron impactors were collocated with the AreaRAE units. Table 3 summarizes monitoring data for data-logged AM510 units.

Table 1: Manually-Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Summary¹
November 25, 2014 07:00 – November 26, 2014 07:00

Location Category	Analyte	Instrument	No. of Readings	No. of Detections	Avg. of Detections	Concentration Range
Community	Cl ₂	MR+	10	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
		Gastec 8La	3	0	NA	< 0.05 ppm
	CO	MR+ / MR Pro	13	0	NA	<1 ppm
	H ₂ S	MR+ / MR Pro	13	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	LEL	MR+ / MR Pro	13	0	NA	<1 %
	O ₂	MR+ / MR Pro	13	13	20.9	20.9 - 20.9 %
	Peroxides	Gastec 32	14	0	NA	<0.1 ppm

	PM ₁₀	AM510/Dusttrak	13	13	0.008	0.001 - 0.019 mg/m ³
	SO ₂	MR+	13	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	H ₂ SO ₄	Gastec 35	13	0	NA	<0.2 mg/m ³
	VOC	MR+ / MR Pro	13	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
Exclusion Zone	Cl ₂	MR+	2	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	H ₂ S	MR+ / MR Pro	2	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	LEL	MR+ / MR Pro	5	0	NA	<1 %
	O ₂	MR+ / MR Pro	2	2	20.9	20.9 - 20.9 %
	SO ₂	MR+	3	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	VOC	MR+ / MR Pro	5	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
Work Area	Cl ₂	MR+	17	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	H ₂ S	MR+ / MR Pro	15	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	LEL	MR+ / MR Pro	6	0	NA	<1 %
	O ₂	MR+ / MR Pro	6	6	20.9	20.9 - 20.9 %
	Peroxides	Gastec 32	1	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	PM ₁₀	AM510/Dusttrak	16	16	0.014	0.009 - 0.025 mg/m ³
	SO ₂	MR+	5	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	H ₂ SO ₄	Gastec 35	1	0	NA	<0.2 mg/m ³
	VOC	MR+ / MR Pro	18	0	NA	<0.1 ppm

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Table 2: AreaRAE Air Monitoring Summary¹
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Unit ID	Analyte	No. of Readings	No. of Detections	Avg. of Detections	Detection Range
Unit 01	H ₂ S	5452	63	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.2 ppm
	LEL	5452	0	NA	< 1 %
	SO ₂	5452	4	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.1 ppm
	VOC	5452	64	0.2 ppm	0.1 - 1.0 ppm
Unit 02	H ₂ S	5298	1649	0.2 ppm	0.1 - 0.7 ppm
	LEL	5298	44	3.00%	2.8 - 3.3 %
	SO ₂	5298	2	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.1 ppm
	VOC	5298	89	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.3 ppm
Unit 03	H ₂ S	5367	0	NA	< 1 ppm
	LEL	5367	0	NA	< 1 %
	SO ₂	5367	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
	VOC	5367	145	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.1 ppm
Unit 04	H ₂ S	5222	242	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.3 ppm
	LEL	5222	0	NA	< 1 %
	SO ₂	5222	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm

	VOC	5222	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
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Table 3: Data-logged AM510 Particulate (PM₁₀) Monitoring Summary¹
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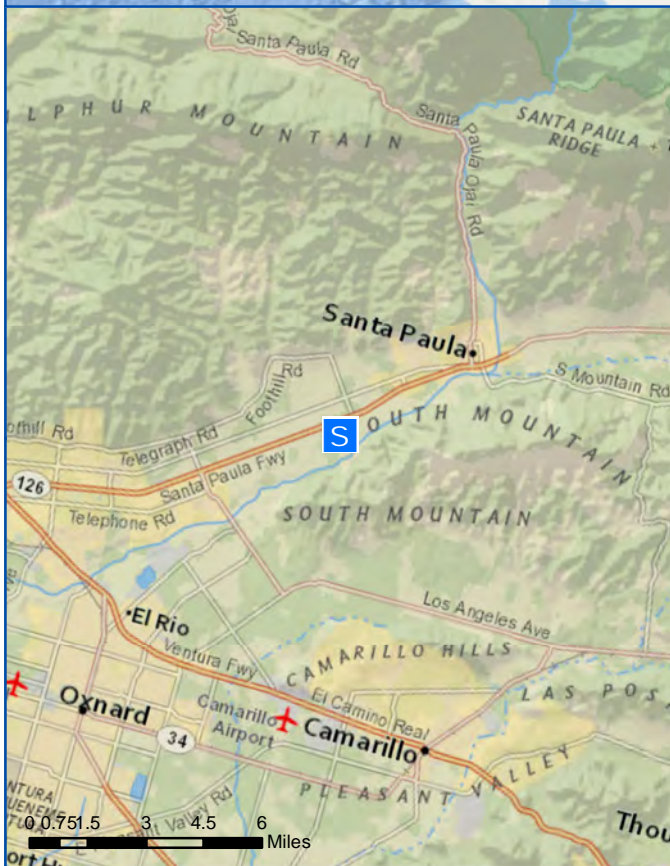
Serial No.	Location	No. of Readings	No. of Detections	Avg. Detection	Detection Range
10408088	AR01	53	53	0.008	0.005 - 0.038 mg/m ³
10704074	AR02	1151	740	0.005	0.001 - 0.103 mg/m ³
11005015	AR03	1025	1025	0.012	0.004 - 0.394 mg/m ³
10408087	AR04	1180	1180	0.019	0.001 - 0.42 mg/m ³

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Appendix A

Incident Maps:

Real-time Air Monitoring Locations and Incident Site



Legend
 Site Location

0 50 100
Feet









Legend

Monitoring Location

- Non-detect (< 0.1 ppm)
- S Incident Site

0 0.125 0.25 0.5 Miles



Legend

Monitoring Location

- Detect (0.001 - 0.025 mg/m³)
- S Incident Site

0 0.125 0.25 0.5 Miles



Legend

Monitoring Location

- Non-detect (< 0.1 ppm)
- S Incident Site

0 0.1 0.2 0.4 Miles









Legend

Monitoring Location

- Non-detect (< 1 ppm)
- S Incident Site



Appendix B:

AreaRAE Trend Graphs, AM510
Trend Graphs, and
AreaRAE/AM510 Air Monitoring
Location Map

0 50 100 Feet



AR01

AR02

AR04

AR03

Legend



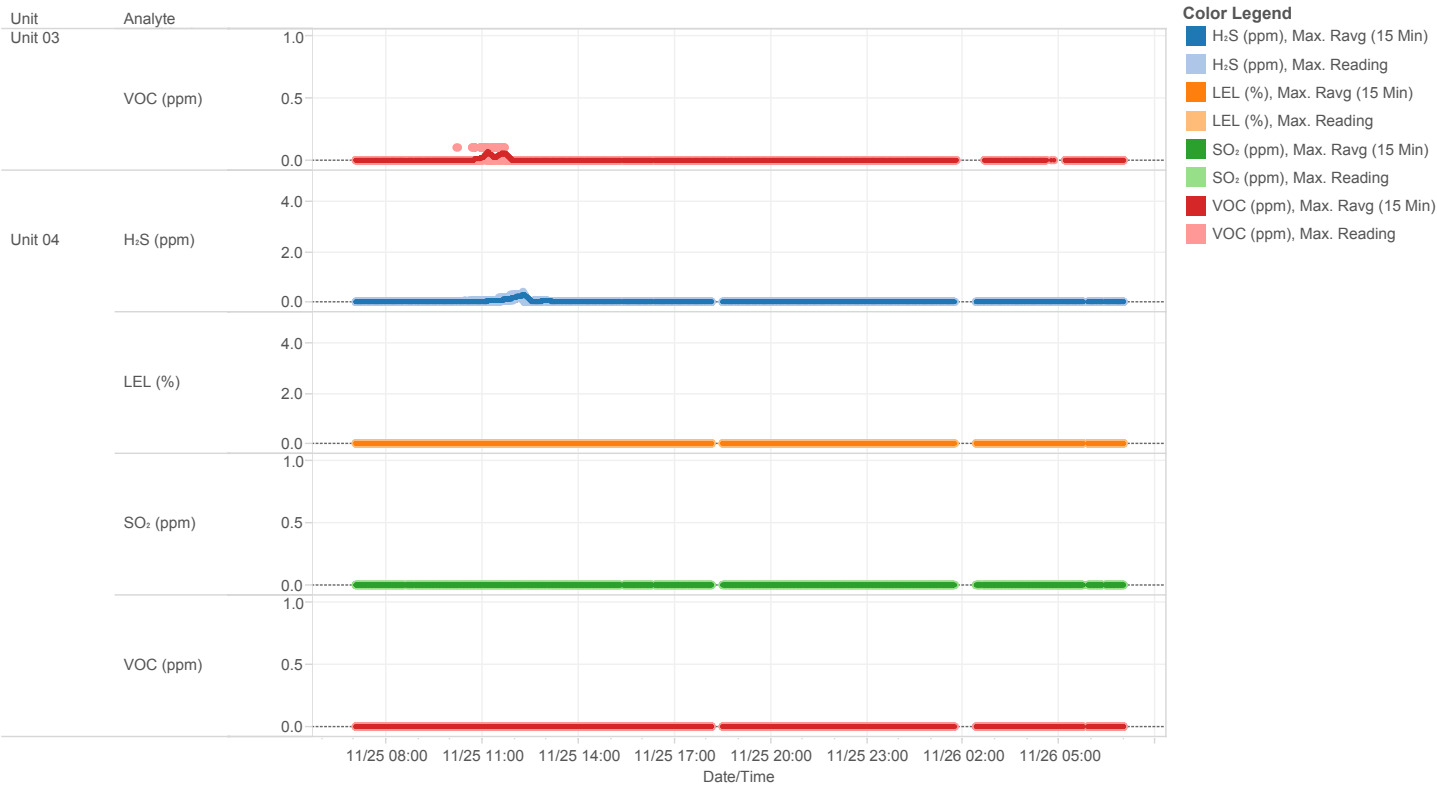
AreaRAE & AM510 Station

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AreaRAE Trend Graphs
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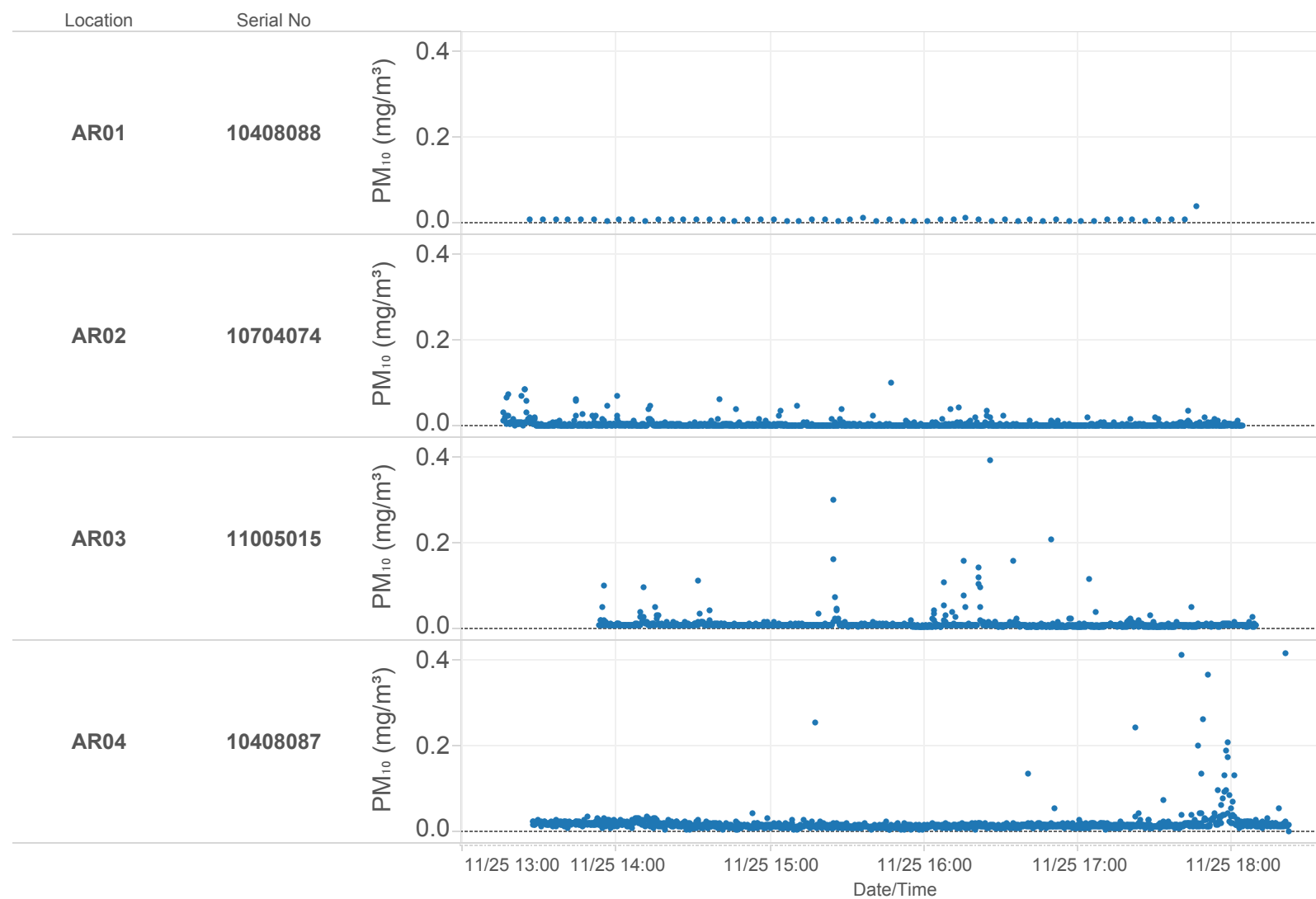
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